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The response to the restriction requirement filed on November 17, 2006 is considered non-compliant. Applicant's response is confusing. Applicant is required to elect in total with or without traverse, so that applicant's position is clear on the record. Furthermore, a complete reply to an election of species should include a proper election along with a listing of all claims readable thereon. It is noted that applicant has not addressed whether claims 25-28 read on the elected species. Applicant is requested to properly identify claims readable on the elected species so that the claims are thoroughly examined.

Since the above-identified reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given a time period of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid ABANDONMENT. NO EXTENSIONS OF TIME under 37 CFR 1.136 (a) will be permitted.

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